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What Is Anti-angiogenesis Treatment?

Angiogenesis is the creation of new blood vessels. The term comes from 2 Greek words: **angio**, meaning "blood vessel," and **genesis**, meaning "beginning."

Normally, this is a healthy process. As the human body grows and develops, it needs to make new blood vessels to get blood to all of its cells. As adults, we don't have quite the same need for making new blood vessels, but there are times when angiogenesis is still important. New blood vessels, for instance, help the body heal wounds and repair damaged body tissues.

But in a person with cancer, this same process creates new, very small blood vessels that provide a tumor with its own blood supply and allow it to grow.

Anti-angiogenesis is a form of targeted therapy that uses drugs or other substances to stop tumors from making new blood vessels. Without a blood supply, tumors can't grow.

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Antitumor effect of arterial administration of a medium-chain triglyceride solution of an angiogenesis inhibitor, TNP-470, in rabbits bearing VX-2 carcinoma.

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Using rabbits bearing VX-2 carcinoma on the inner side of the leg, we examined the antitumor activity of a medium-chain triglyceride (MCT) solution of an angiogenesis inhibitor, TNP-470 (AGM-1470, 6-O-(N-chloroacetylcarbamoyl)-fumagillol), following administration into the femoral artery feeding the tumor. The MCT solution of TNP-470 (1 and 5 mg) strongly suppressed tumor growth following a single intra-arterial (i.a.) injection 2 or 3 weeks after tumor inoculation. Moreover, remarkable regression of welldeveloped tumors, those 4 weeks after inoculation, was obtained by i.a. injection of the MCT solution containing 20 mg of TNP-470 without any influence on body weight. The antitumor effects were potentiated by coadministration of doxorubicin or mitomycin C (MMC) in the solution or microspheres containing MMC. In a shell-less chorioallantoic membrane (CAM) assay, angiogenesis was inhibited when a droplet of the MCT solution containing 25 micrograms of TNP-470 was placed on the CAM for 2 days, suggesting that the prolonged antitumor effect resulted from the inhibition of tumor neovascularization by sustained drug release from the preparation. These results indicate that i.a. injection of the MCT solution of TNP-470 is promising for treating welldeveloped tumors.

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Efficacy of hyperthermia and polyunsaturated fatty acids on experimental carcinoma.

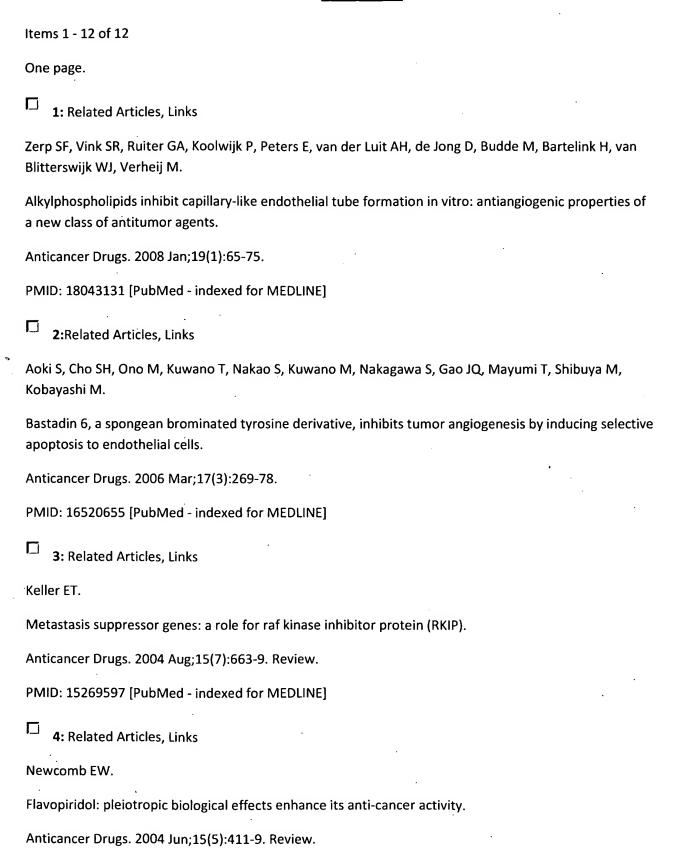
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We investigated the efficacy of hyperthermia and gamma-linolenic acid on experimental carcinoma. This study focused on polyunsaturated fatty acids that are substrates for free radical reactions. Oleic acid, linolenic acid, alpha-linolenic acid, or gamma-linolenic acid was injected into the arteries feeding AH109A carcinoma implanted into rat hind limbs. Among these, gamma-linolenic acid had the greatest effect on tumor tissue lipid peroxidation and demonstrated an antitumor effect. Consequently, gamma-linolenic acid injection into the feeding artery of a tumor was performed immediately prior to hyperthermia. This combination therapy induced a high level of lipid peroxidation in tumor tissue and a significant antitumor effect. Hyperthermia combined with gamma-linolenic acid produces free radical reactions by increasing the radical reaction substrate and may be an effective anticancer modality.

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